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SUBJ: LUNTS ARREST

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WELL-INFORMED LOCAL JEWISH SOURCE CONFIRMED TO EMBOFF
JUNE 21 THAT LUNTS WAS DETAINED BY KGB JUNE 13, BUT
THAT HE WAS RELEASED AFTER A FEW HOURS. REASON GIVEN
FOR HIS DETENTION WAS ORGANIZATION OF SEMINAR OF
JEWISH SCIENTISTS IN MOSCOW. HE AND PROFESSOR VORONEL,
WHO WAS DETAINED EARLIER, WERE WARNED TO CEASE THEIR
ACTIVITIES IN CONNECTION WITH SEMINAR OR FACE THE
POSSIBILITY OF SEVERE MEASURES AGAINST THEM AND
OTHER SOVIET JEWISH ORGANIZERS. SOURCE SAID LOCAL
JEWISH ACTIVISTS WERE BEING WATCHED CLOSELY BY KGB
BECAUSE OF APPROACHING PRESIDENTIAL VISIT AND THAT
MANY EXPECTED TO BE ARRESTED BEFORE VISIT SO THEY COULD
NOT MAKE TROUBLE. SOURCE ALSO SAID THAT TELEPHONES OF
ALMOST ALL ACTIVISTS HAVE NOW BEEN REMOVED BY AUTHORI-
TIES.
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